



In re application of:

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Commissioner of Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

September 9, 2003

Sir:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated April 16, 2003 for two (2) months from July 16, 2003 to September 16, 2003.

A check in the amount of Four Hundred and Ten Dollars (\$410.00) to cover the cost of the extension fee is enclosed. In the event any fees are required, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2300.

Respectfully submitted,

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